



Discussion Questions

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Share experiences of conversations from the past week. Share examples of illegitimate appeals to authority.

Chapter 16: Just the Facts, Ma'am

1. What two steps/questions are used in this tactic?
2. Have you encountered this kind of challenge before?
3. What was most helpful/encouraging in this chapter?
4. What was most challenging?

Chapter 17: Inside Out

5. What important basic question is this tactic based on?
6. Describe in one sentence how to use this tactic.
7. What was most helpful/encouraging in this chapter?
8. What was most challenging?

Role-play:

Challenge #1: Religion is the major cause of wars and death.

Challenge #2: I don't go to church because it's full of hypocrites.

Challenge #3: Studies prove that Atheists are smarter than Christians.

Improve your skills: Continue practicing the tactics we've learned about so far. Try role-playing with friends. Listen for a challenge in a movie, TV show, radio program, or on the Internet and practice how you would respond.